GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HOME AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA

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BAN ON ORGANISATIONS
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Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether certain organizations in the country having links with ISI and responsible for engineering bomb blasts in churches and indulging in other nefarious activities prejudicial to the interest of the country have been banned recently;

(b) if so, the names of such organizations; and

(c) whether the Government have arrested the members of such organizations; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (I.D. SWAMI)

(a)to(d): The role of an organization called `Deendar Anjuman` having links in Pakistan, has been established in the bomb blasts in Churches in the States of Andhra Pradesh, Karnataka and Goa during May-July, 2000 and activists of the said organization have been arrested for their involvement in various criminal activities. This organization has been declared as an unlawful association under section 3(1) of the Unlawful Activities (Prevention) Act, 1967 vide this Ministry`s Notification No.S.O.373(E) dated 28.04.2001.